



Docket No. 56,589 (70840)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application: K. Kumata, et al. Examiner: Lee, R. J.
Serial No. 09/975,678 Group: 2613
Filed: October 11, 2001 Confirmation No.: 9445
For: SURROUND SURVEILLANCE APPARATUS FOR MOBILE BODY

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

The following is in response to the Final Office Action mailed June 24, 2005 in connection with the above-referenced application.

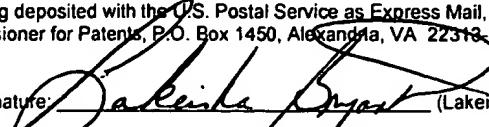
The Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. The Applicant, however, conditionally petitions for an extension of time to provide for the possibility that such a petition has been inadvertently overlooked and is required. As provided below, charge Deposit Account **04-1105** for any required fee.

Please amend the application as follows:

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